

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (cancelled)
2. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein said geographic location information is automatically derived and updated from a GPS system.
- 5 3. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 2 wherein map coordinates, based on said continuously changing geographic information is calculated on said host server.
4. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein said geographic information is and automatically derived and updated from telephone network
10 positioning system.
5. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein a user of said supply-side or said demand side client computer provides said geographic location information.
6. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 5 wherein said
15 geographic location information is given as map coordinates.
7. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 5 wherein said geographic information is given as a postal address and converted to map coordinates by a dedicated program.
8. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 7 wherein said given
20 postal address is converted as map coordinates on said host server.
9. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 7 wherein said postal address is entered through a stationary supply-side or said demand side client computer,
10. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 7 wherein said postal address is given by a dispatcher.
- 25 11. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein said geographic location information can be saved for future.
12. (currently amended) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein:

said location information of a user of a supply client computer comprises geographical location information that can be obscured by said supply client computer with predetermined unclear accuracy defining a possible area in which the supply client computer is located; ~~and said possible area is much smaller than said search area.~~

5 13. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein at least said supply-side geographic location information, is used to pinpoint the location of said supply-side geographic location on a map provided to a demand client

14. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 13 wherein said map is provided by host server.

10 15. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 13 wherein said map is provided by an Internet server.

16. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 13 wherein said map is resident of a client computer.

15 17. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein said distance between a geographic location information given by a supply client computer and geographic location information given by a demand client computer is measured on a host server and distributed to either demand-side client computer or supply-side client computer or both of them.

20 18. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein said demand and supply parameters are chosen by a user of a client computer.

19 (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein said demand and supply parameters are constant. 28

20. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein optional additional freestyle information can be given by a user of a client computer.

25 21. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein a demand area definition parameter is derived from at least one client computer and said demand area definition parameter is stored on a host server.

22. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein one of said demand or supply parameter is a search area parameter and said search area parameter is a user-determined distance around the search-location.

23. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 22 wherein said host
5 server continuously updates said searching so as to include updated movement of said search area parameter and updated entry or exit from said search area parameter of a supply client computer or a demand client computer being searched within said search area parameter.

24. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein at least one
10 of said supply or demand client can contact a matched supply client or demand client by activating an available contact means on a computer screen.

25. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 24 wherein said activating an available contact means is done by selecting an icon on said computer screen.

26. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein said contact means is made anonymous.

15 27. (previously presented) The computer assisted method of claim 28 wherein geographical position of said client computer or said demand client computer is determined from a multiplicity of GPS satellites; and said demand-side and said-supply side geographic location information, with parameters and possible additional information, are delivered to and distributed from said host server by a two-way satellite link.

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28. (currently amended) A computer assisted method of searching, locating, and matching and positioning on a map supply and demand, comprising steps of:
storing on a host server demand-side geographic location information, and at least one demand parameter derived from ~~at least one~~ a plurality of demand client computers;
25 storing on said host server said supply-side geographic location information, and at least one supply parameter derived from ~~at least one~~ a plurality of supply client computers;

said host server searching within a predetermined search area supply client computers having ~~at least one~~ supply parameters matching at least one demand parameters of a demand client computers;

based on said searching, said host server providing ~~least one of~~ said demand client
5 computers ~~at least~~ location information, optional additional information and a contact means
~~and a means to enable immediate, unscripted two-way communication~~ of said supply client
computers matching demand parameters;

~~at least one of~~ said ~~demand-side~~ demand client computer's geographic location information
and or at least one of said ~~supply-side~~ supply client computer's geographic location
10 information is being updated automatically on said host server in real time from a geographic
location information system

said host server serving said supply-side geographic location information for demand client
computers;

positioning said supply-side location on a map, provided by said demand client computers,
15 relative to the location of said demand client computers.

said supply-side geographic location information being used to pinpoint the location of said
supply-side geographic location on a map provided to a demand client computer.

29. (cancelled) the computer-assisted method of claim 28 wherein said location
20 information of a user of a supply client computer comprises geographical location
information.